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Re: New U.S. Patent Appln.
Our Ref: 100640.52778US

Sir:

Transmitted herewith for filing is the patent application of:

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entitled: **CONTAINER FOR HOUSING FROZEN SUSHI, PACKED
FROZEN SUSHI UNIT, AND DISTRIBUTION METHOD OF FROZEN
SUSHI**

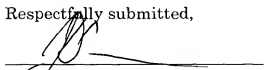
Enclosed are:

1. Specification, including 17 claims (37 pages).
2. 10 Sheets of Formal Drawings showing Figs. 1-14.
3. Application Data Sheet.
4. Priority is being claimed under 35 U.S.C. §119 and 37 C.F.R. §1.55 based on Priority Document 2002-270967, filed in Japan on September 18, 2002.
5. The filing fee has been calculated as shown below:

Basic Fee					\$375/750	= \$750.00
Total Claims	<u>17</u>	-	20	=	<u>0</u>	x \$9/18 = \$
Independent Claims	<u>4</u>	-	3	=	<u>1</u>	x \$42/84 = \$ 84.00
Multiple Dependent Claim Presented					\$140/280	= \$
Total Filing Fee						<u>\$834.00</u>

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Respectfully submitted,


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